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2007 REGULAR SESSION INTERIM LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR

HOUSE BILLS

THIRTY-THIRD REGULAR SESSION UNDER THE ADOPTION OF THE CONSTITUTION OF 1974

HOUSE BILL NO. 4—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2002(A)(1), 2218.2(A)(1) and (2)(a), and 2218.8(B) and (G), relative to supplemental pay for firemen, police officers, law enforcement officers of certain state agencies and political subdivisions, deputy sheriffs, and full-time deputy sheriffs employed as field representatives or process servers; to increase such supplemental pay; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 5—

BY REPRESENTATIVE E. GUILLORY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2006-2007 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgments in the suits entitled "Eddie Oliver, Mark McMillin and Brian McMillin v. The State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development", "Calvene Duplichan, et al v. Union Pacific Railroad Co., et al", and "Relphard Lee Spikes, Jr., individually and Sarah Spikes, individually v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 6—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KATZ
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:541 and 542, relative to the hours of voting; to provide for the time for opening and closing of the polls; to provide for termination of voting; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 7—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment against the state of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "Benny C. Martin, et ux v. Midsouth Corporation, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 8—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in favor of Carolyn Cannon and Tiffany Self in the suit entitled "Robert Cannon, on behalf of his minor son, Dusty Cannon, et al v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 9—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Christopher Hattala, individually and on behalf of his minor children, Matthew Hattala and Cristalin Kenney and the estate of Dawn Hattala v. Allstate Insurance Company, Roy A. Medere, Jr., Farm Bureau Insurance Company, the estate of Albert Carpenter, Jr., and the State of Louisiana through the Department of

Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 16—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 10—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Lloyd Johnson and Kerry Brown v. Nathalie Chaisson, Louisiana Department of Transportation, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 11—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DARTEZ
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Joshua Suttoon v. Darlene Richard, and State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 12—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH AND SENATOR MOUNT
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Judene Roberts, et al v. Elson Foreman, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 13—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:452, relative to the mayor's court of the town of Sterlington; to authorize the imposition of a technology fee as additional court costs; to provide for uses of the fee; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 14—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHNEIDER, HEBERT, LAMBERT, LANCASTER, T. POWELL, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, STRAIN, TUCKER, AND WADDELL AND SENATOR HOLLIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(7) and to enact R.S. 47:293(6)(a)(ix), relative to the imposition of individual income tax; to authorize a deduction from gross income for disaster-related casualty losses allowed on the taxpayer's federal income tax return for the same tax year; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 15—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297(P), relative to the individual income tax; to provide a tax credit for homeowners whose primary residence is damaged as a consequence of a named tropical storm or hurricane; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 16—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 16—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(7) and to enact R.S. 47:293(2) and (6)(a)(i), relative to the individual income tax; to enact the deduction for excess federal itemized deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 17—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A)(2) and (3), relative to the individual income tax; to revise the tax brackets; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 16—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1-19-2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 18—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 20(A)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to increase the homestead exemption; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 25—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1/26/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 19—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 20(A)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to increase the homestead exemption in accordance with the increase in the Consumer Price Index; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 25—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1/26/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 20—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:27.3, relative to advertising compulsive gambling information; to require gaming licensees and the casino gaming operator to provide compulsive gambling information on television gaming advertising; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

January 25—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1/26/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 21—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WHITE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:40.2(B)(1)(b), (2)(a) and (b), (4), and (5) and to enact R.S. 14:40.2(I), relative to the crime of stalking; to provide for increased penalties in certain circumstances; to provide that stalking convictions are not subject to expungement or benefit of probation, parole, or any suspension of sentence; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 1—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

February 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 22—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:893.1(introductory paragraph) and (2), relative to correctional facilities; to provide with respect to inmates who are not eligible for assignment to Work Training Facility North, now J. Levy Dabadie Correctional Center; to correct the name of Work Training Facility North; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 1—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

February 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 23—
BY REPRESENTATIVES SCHNEIDER, ALEXANDER, HEBERT, LAMBERT, LANCASTER, T. POWELL, SMILEY, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, STRAIN, TUCKER, WADDELL, AND WHITE AND SENATOR HOLLIS

AN ACT
To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A)(2) and (3) and 293(7) and to enact R.S. 47: 293(2) and (6)(a)(i), relative to the individual income tax; to revise certain individual income tax brackets; to provide for a deduction for excess federal itemized deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 1—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

February 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 24—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:783(F)(6), relative to the offices of the clerks of court in Beauregard and Vernon parishes; to require the payment of premium costs for certain life and group medical insurance for certain retired personnel; to provide for eligibility; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 1—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

February 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 25—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.35.6(C)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 40:1299.35.6(A)(5)(d) and (B)(1)(g), relative to the performance of abortions; to provide for informed consent requirements; to provide for publication of materials by the Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 1—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

February 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 26—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 23(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to limit certain increases in millage rates; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 6—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

February 12—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 27—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD
AN ACT

To amend R.S. 47:1705(B), relative to ad valorem taxes; to limit the ability of taxing authorities to increase ad valorem tax millages; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 6—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

February 12—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 28—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1368(C), relative to master plumbers; to allow for a master plumber who was locally licensed prior to July 1, 1990, to be licensed to work statewide; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Commerce.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 29—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302(R) and 321(H) and to enact R.S. 47:331(P)(3), relative to the state sales and use tax; to provide relative to the effectiveness of the exemption for certain farm irrigation equipment; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 30—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A) and 293(7) and to enact R.S. 47: 293(2) and (6)(a)(i), relative to the individual income tax; to revise certain individual income tax brackets; to provide for a deduction for excess federal itemized deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297(P), relative to the individual income tax; to provide for a child tax credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:2619, relative to the justice of the peace court in Ward I of Allen Parish; to authorize the constable of the court to utilize certain surplus automobiles; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 33—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HILL

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(s), relative to court reporters for the Thirty-Third Judicial District Court in Allen Parish; to provide for the fees to be charged for transcriptions; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 34—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:331(P)(2) and to enact R.S. 47:302(U), relative to the sales and use tax; to provide for the effectiveness and applicability of the exemptions for electric power or energy, natural gas, water, and steam; to reduce the sales tax rates on electric power or energy, natural gas, water, and steam; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 35—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297(P), relative to the individual income tax; to provide a credit for a percentage of certain federal itemized deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 36—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A) and 293(7) and to enact R.S. 47: 293(2) and (6)(a)(i), relative to the individual income tax; to revise certain individual income tax brackets; to provide for a deduction for excess federal itemized deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 37—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.56, relative to the state sales and use tax; to provide that the state sales and use tax shall not apply to consumer purchases of tangible personal property during certain time periods; to provide restrictions on the types and cost of purchases which are eligible for exemption; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 38—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 4(A) and repeal Article VII, Section 2.2 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the limitations on the power of taxation; to provide for the limitation of the rates and brackets for the individual income tax; to repeal the state sales and use tax exemption provided for in the constitution for certain items; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A)(2) and (3) and 293(7) and to enact R.S. 47: 293(2) and (6)(a)(i), relative to the individual income tax; to revise certain individual income tax brackets; to provide for a deduction for excess federal itemized deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 40—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10(D)(3)(c) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the expenditure of state funds; to require the full funding of adjustments to salary supplements to certain local law enforcement and fire protection officers; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN, BOWLER, CROWE, LAMBERT, T. POWELL, SMILEY, JANE SMITH, WADDELL, AND WHITE AND SENATOR KOSTELKA
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2401(B) and 2451(A) and Code of Civil Procedure Article 2953(C)(1), relative to the inheritance tax; to provide that no tax shall be due when the date of death occurs after June 30, 2004; to provide for refunds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 42—

BY REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN, BOWLER, CROWE, LAMBERT, T. POWELL, SMILEY, JANE SMITH, WADDELL, AND WHITE AND SENATOR KOSTELKA
AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 14 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 47:1201 through 1212, relative to the gift tax; to repeal the tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 43—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:2401(B) and 2451(A) and Code of Civil Procedure Article 2953(C)(1), relative to the inheritance tax; to provide that no tax shall be due when the date of death occurs after June 30, 2004; to provide for refunds; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 44—
BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.56, relative to the sales and use tax; to provide for a "sales tax holiday" under certain circumstances; to provide that the state sales and use tax shall not apply to consumer purchases of tangible personal property during certain time periods; to provide restrictions on the types and costs of purchases which are eligible for exemption; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 45—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297(P), relative to the individual income tax; to provide a credit for a percentage of certain federal itemized deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 16—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 46—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301(10)(dd), relative to the state sales and use tax; to provide for a state sales tax exclusion for sales or purchases by churches; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 47—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:783(F)(6), relative to the office of the clerk of court in Rapides Parish; to require the clerk of court's office to pay premium costs for certain life and group medical insurance for retired personnel having specified years of service; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 48—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:602(A) and (G), 605(B) and (C), and 609(A) and to repeal R.S. 47:603, relative to the corporation franchise tax; to eliminate borrowed capital from the franchise tax base; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 49—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1065 and 1265(A)(2), relative to insurance premium taxes; to reduce the amount of the tax on certain types of insurance policies; to delete certain obsolete

provisions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 50—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 2(B) of Act No. 47 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to agency ancillary funds; to provide for the transfer of funds on deposit in the state treasury; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 51—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:44.1(A), relative to the individual income tax; to increase the exemption for retirement income; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 52—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KATZ
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:602(A) and (G), 605(B) and (C), and 609(A) and to repeal R.S. 47:603, relative to the corporation franchise tax; to eliminate borrowed capital from the franchise tax base; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 53—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE
AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 14 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 47:1201 through 1212, relative to the gift tax; to repeal the tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 54—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:293(7) and to enact R.S. 47:293(2) and (6)(a)(i), relative to the individual income tax; to provide for a deduction for excess federal itemized deductions; to provide for the effectiveness of such deduction; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 55—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(3)(i)(i), (13)(k)(i), and (28)(a), relative to sales and use tax of the state and statewide political subdivisions; to provide for a total exclusion for certain manufacturing machinery and equipment; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 56—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.56, relative to sales and use taxes; to provide that state and local sales and use taxes shall not apply to purchases of college textbooks; to provide for certain restrictions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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HOUSE BILL NO. 57—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:293(3)(b)(i)(cc), relative to the individual income tax; to provide that the deduction from state income taxes for federal income tax paid shall not be reduced by the amount of certain medical and dental expense deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 58—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER
AN ACT

To appropriate out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2006-2007 Fiscal Year to the St. Bernard Parish School Board for payment of insurance premiums for certain retirees; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 59—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2175.4(B), relative to home improvement contractors; to increase the administrative penalty that may be assessed against home improvement contractors; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Commerce.

March 2—
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HOUSE BILL NO. 60—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAMBERT, TRAHAN, AND WHITE AND
SENATOR AMEDEE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:481 and R.S. 48:196(A), relative to state funds; to provide for the disposition of certain state revenues from truck and trailer licensing and registration; to

provide for the deposit of monies into the State Highway Improvement Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 61—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WADDELL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:301(16)(m), relative to state and local sales and use taxes; to provide for an exclusion for machinery and equipment used by certain motor vehicle manufacturers; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 62—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state properties in St. Tammany Parish from the division of administration to the city of Slidell.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 63—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 6 of Act No. 191 of the 1926 Regular Session, as enacted by Act No. 120 of the 1946 Regular Session and amended by Act No. 307 of the 1948 Regular Session, relative to the Northwest Louisiana Game and Fish Commission; to authorize the commission to employ or retain legal counsel; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 64—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(4)(a) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(2)(f), relative to the Department of Justice, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Justice and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; to repeal provisions beginning the termination of the Department of Justice; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 65—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BEARD
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Henderson Polk, Jr. vs. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 66—
BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Mark Taylor and Connie Taylor, individually and as husband and wife v. The State of Louisiana and Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 67—
BY REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Maria G. Martinez v. Andrew S. Palumbo, City of New Orleans and Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 68—
BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Marie Antoinette Madison, et al v. City of Monroe and the State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 69—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Eddison Verrett, Jr. and his wife Duwayna Verrett, individually and on behalf of their minor children, Eddison T. Verrett and Tionne L. Verrett v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

February 28—
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Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

March 2—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/2/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 70—
BY REPRESENTATIVE WADDELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:966(E)(3), relative to possession of marijuana; to provide for a fine as a penalty for third or subsequent conviction of possession of marijuana; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 71—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAMBERT, WHITE, AND TRAHAN AND
SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:24(G) and Subpart N of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.46, relative to state funds; to provide for the disposition of certain revenues related to an increase in the official forecast under certain circumstances; to require the transfer of monies between certain funds under certain circumstances; to establish the Fund for Improvement of Transportation Infrastructure as a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 72—

BY REPRESENTATIVE R. CARTER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:621.21, relative to district judges; to provide for an additional judgeship for the Twenty-First Judicial District Court with subject matter jurisdiction limited to juvenile matters as provided by law; to provide for compensation of the additional judge; to provide for the election and terms of office and those of the successors in office; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 73—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Title XVII of Book III of the Louisiana Civil Code, to be comprised of Civil Code Articles 3071 through 3083, relative to compromise; to provide for definitions; to provide for formal requirements; to provide for the effects of a compromise; to provide for the object of a compromise; to provide for the scope of a compromise; to provide for the interpretation of a compromise; to provide for renunciation of rights; to provide for after-acquired rights; to provide for tender and acceptance of a lesser sum; to provide for the preclusive effect of a compromise; to provide for the effect on a novation; to provide for the rescission of a compromise; to provide for prescription of rights affected by the compromise; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 74—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CROWE AND STRAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:1573.1, relative to the office of the coroner of St. Tammany Parish; to provide for the powers and duties of the specified office of the coroner and the fiscal operation of the coroner's office; to provide for salaries; to provide for an annual report; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 75—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Otis Marsh and Shirlene Marsh v. State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 76—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAMBERT, TRAHAN, AND WHITE AND
SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To enact Subpart N of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.46, relative to state funds; to establish the Fund for Improvement of Transportation Infrastructure as a special treasury fund; to provide for the dedication of certain state revenues to the fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 77—

BY REPRESENTATIVE M. POWELL
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Roy Hugh Jones, Linda Denler Madison, Sara Denler Hudson and Rickey A. Denler v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 78—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:32(A)(2) and (3) and 293(7) and to enact R.S. 47:293(2) and (6)(a)(i), relative to the individual income tax; to revise certain individual income tax brackets; to provide for a deduction for excess federal itemized deductions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 79—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.51, relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for the effectiveness of the exemption for utilities purchased by certain steelworks, blast furnaces, coke ovens, and rolling mills; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 80—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.51, relative to sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for the effectiveness of the exemption for utilities purchased by certain steelworks, blast furnaces, coke ovens, and rolling mills; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 81—

BY REPRESENTATIVES LAMBERT, TRAHAN, AND WHITE AND
SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 39:24(G) and Subpart N of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.46, relative to state funds; to provide for the disposition of certain revenues related to an increase in the official forecast under certain circumstances; to require the transfer of monies between certain funds under certain circumstances; to establish the Fund for Improvement of Transportation Infrastructure as a special treasury fund; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 82—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFONTA
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:6026, relative to income tax credits; to provide for income tax credits for musical or theatrical productions and musical or theatrical facility infrastructure projects; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 83—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KLECKLEY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Mary Dubroc as administratrix of the estate of Shawn Martin, and as natural tutrix of the minor child Shawn D. Martin v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, Office of Highways and St. Martin Parish Government and/or St. Martin Parish Police Jury"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 9—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 3/9/2007.

HOUSE BILL NO. 84—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Jacqueline Marie

Poleder v. Douglas D. Horton, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 85—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Karen Guimbellot, et al v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 86—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:331(P)(2) and to enact R.S. 47:302(U) and 321(K), relative to the sales and use tax; to provide for the effectiveness and applicability of the exemptions for electric power or energy, natural gas, water, and steam; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 87—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1265(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 22:1065(A)(2)(f), relative to state funds; to establish the Citizens Insurance Recovery Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for disposition of the avails of certain taxes related to the sale of insurance products for surplus lines coverages; to provide for the disposition of the avails of certain annual license taxes related to the sale of insurance products for fire, marine, transportation, casualty, surety, or other coverages; to require annual reporting to the legislature; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—

Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 88—BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:98(A)(1)(e), relative to operating a vehicle while intoxicated; to provide with respect to the elements of the crime involving the consumption of excessive quantities of legally obtainable drugs; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 89—BY REPRESENTATIVE DARTEZ
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Kathy M. Jennings, individually and on behalf of her minor child Brittany Jennings, and Teeshia Jennings, individually and on behalf of her minor child, Deandre Jennings v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 90—BY REPRESENTATIVE DARTEZ
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "David L. Lacoste, et al v. State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 91—BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:44.1(A), relative to the individual income tax; to provide that certain married individuals receive a greater exemption for retirement income; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 92—BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:301(13)(l)(i) and 305.40, relative to the sales and use tax; to expand the exclusion for sales by certain Mardi Gras organizations to its members; to provide for an exemption for sales and purchases of tangible personal property by certain organizations in connection with Mardi Gras activities; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 93—BY REPRESENTATIVE DORSEY
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.56, relative to sales and use taxes; to provide that the state sales and use tax shall not apply to purchases of college textbooks; to provide for certain restrictions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 94—BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297(P), relative to the individual income tax; to provide for a child tax credit; to provide relative to certain requirements; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 95—BY REPRESENTATIVE LABRUZZO
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:305.56, relative to the state sales and use tax; to authorize a "sales tax holiday" for purchases of certain school supplies; to provide for definitions; to provide restrictions on the types and cost of purchases eligible for exemption; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 96—

BY REPRESENTATIVE M. POWELL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:297(P), relative to the individual income tax; to provide an income tax credit to certain public school classroom teachers who purchase classroom supplies; to provide for certain definitions; to provide for the applicability of the credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 97—

BY REPRESENTATIVE M. POWELL
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2625(B) and to repeal R.S. 46:2625(A)(1)(a), relative to health care provider fees; to repeal authorization for the Department of Health and Hospitals to impose a per day fee on occupied beds in nursing facilities; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 98—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HONEY
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2488.28, relative to the clerk of court of the City Court of Baker; to remove the requirement that the clerk's annual salary be fixed by the city council of Baker; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

HOUSE BILL NO. 99—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:289, relative to operating motor vehicles; to prohibit the use of a cellular phone while operating a motor vehicle in a school zone during posted hours; to provide for certain exceptions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works.

HOUSE BILL NO. 100—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH AND SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for 2007-2008 Fiscal Year to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Joanna L. Pourciau, as natural tutrix of her minor children Kristin Renee Romero and Kaci Marie Romero v. Lamar Advertising of Louisiana, L.L.C., and State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 101—

BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:102.23, relative to offenses affecting the public sensibility; to prohibit promoting or conducting a cockfight; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 102—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:783(G), 791(B)(3)(a), 808(B), and 811(B)(3)(a)(i), to enact R.S. 32:784.1, and to repeal R.S. 32:791(D), 802(E), and 811(D), relative to the Recreational and Used Motor Vehicle Commission; to provide for the commission fund; to provide for an increase in certain commission fees; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Commerce.

HOUSE BILL NO. 103—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 12:1607, relative to conversion of business organizations; to provide for recognition of converted entities by state boards and commissions; to provide for updated licenses; to provide for a cap on fees chargeable for an updated license; to provide for an effective date of updated licenses; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Commerce.

HOUSE BILL NO. 104—BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 for expenditures consistent with the Coastal Protection Plan; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 105—BY REPRESENTATIVE KATZ
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:305.6 and to enact R.S. 47:302(U), 321(K), and 331(S), relative to the sales and use tax; to provide for the effectiveness and applicability of the exemption for the sale of admission tickets by certain theatrical organizations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 106—BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Leroy Preston, et al v. State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 107—BY REPRESENTATIVE BAUDOUIN
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 to be used to pay certain consent judgments in the suits entitled "Toni Cook v. The State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development (State of Louisiana and the Department of Highways of the State of Louisiana) and Robert K. Schexnayder"; consolidated with "Misty Daniel Patin v. The State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development (State of Louisiana and the Department of Highways of the State of Louisiana) and Robert K. Schexnayder"; consolidated with "Jason Allen Barker v. The State of Louisiana, through the Department of Transportation and Development (State of Louisiana and the Department of Highways of the State of Louisiana) and Robert K. Schexnayder"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 108—BY REPRESENTATIVES RITCHIE, ST. GERMAIN, AND STRAIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:102.23, relative to offenses affecting the public sensibility; to prohibit promoting or conducting a cockfight; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development.

HOUSE BILL NO. 109—BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Steven Poirier and Kim Poirier individually and on behalf of their minor children, Sierra and Julia Poirier v. Douglas Ellzey, Jr., et al"; to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Melissa Wells v. Douglas Ellzey, Jr., et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 110—BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE
AN ACT

To enact Subpart L of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.41, relative to state funds; to establish the Louisiana Transportation Center Fund as a special treasury fund; to provide for the dedication, deposit, use, and investment of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 111—BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNS
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 to be used to pay the consent judgment in the suit entitled "Betty Phillips v. State Farm Insurance Company, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 112—BY REPRESENTATIVE STRAIN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2185(B), relative to inspections of hospice facilities; to provide for the frequency of inspections; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE BILL NO. 113—BY REPRESENTATIVE M. POWELL
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:67.24, relative to theft; to create the crime of organized retail theft; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

HOUSE BILL NO. 114—BY REPRESENTATIVE BOWLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 222 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana, relative to the transfer of certain state property in Jefferson Parish; to extend the termination date of the Act; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

HOUSE BILL NO. 115—BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFLEUR
AN ACT

To repeal Chapter 14 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 47:1201 through 1212, relative to the gift tax; to repeal the tax; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

—HOUSE—

March 15—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2007 REGULAR SESSION INTERIM LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

THIRTY-THIRD REGULAR SESSION UNDER THE ADOPTION OF THE CONSTITUTION OF 1974

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—

BY REPRESENTATIVES CROWE, BOWLER, BALDONE, CHANDLER,
T. POWELL, TOOMY, AND WALSWORTH AND SENATORS HOLLIS
AND KOSTELKA

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To adopt Joint Rule No. 5 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives to provide for audio and video broadcast of legislative proceedings and for the creation, nature, and maintenance of records thereof.

—HOUSE—

January 25—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

January 26—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 1/26/2007.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the state Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to submit to the legislature for approval a proposed minimum foundation program formula that will provide for funding for teacher salary increases such that average Louisiana teacher salaries will equal or exceed the average teacher salary for the states in the Southern Regional Education Board region and to express legislative intent to provide funding for such salary increases.

—HOUSE—

February 14—
Prefiled.

Under the rules, provisionally referred to the Committee on Education.

February 16—
First appeared in the Interim Calendar on 2/16/2007.
